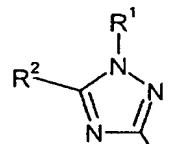
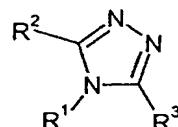
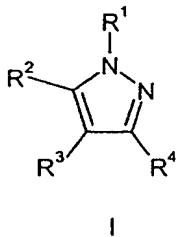


WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A method for stabilizing blocked polyisocyanates against thermal yellowing, comprising mixing a blocked polyisocyanate with at least one compound according to one of the formulae I to III



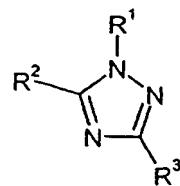
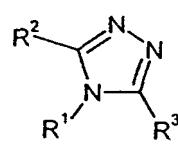
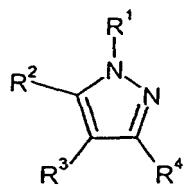
in which

R¹ to R⁴ stand independently of one another for hydrogen or for an alkyl radical having 1 to 25 carbon atoms or, in combination of two or three or four of the radicals R¹ to R⁴, for an aliphatic ring system having 1 to 25 carbon atoms,

where

in the case of the formula I R² and R³ taken together or R³ and R⁴ taken together may also denote a substituted or unsubstituted benzene ring which is fused onto the pyrazole ring.

2. A composition comprising
- at least one blocked polyisocyanate and
 - at least one compound according to one of the formulae I to III



in which

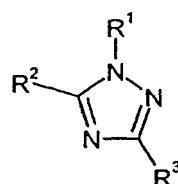
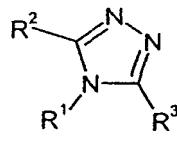
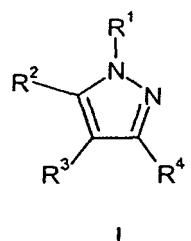
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3. The composition according to Claim 2, wherein the blocked polyisocyanate is blocked exclusively with compounds other than compounds according to one of the formulae I to III



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in which

5 R¹ to R⁴ stand independently of one another for hydrogen or for an alkyl radical having 1 to 25 carbon atoms or, in combination of two or three or four of the radicals R¹ to R⁴, for an aliphatic ring system having 1 to 25 carbon atoms,

where

- 10 in the case of the formula I R² and R³ taken together or R³ and R⁴ taken together may also denote a substituted or unsubstituted benzene ring which is fused onto the pyrazole ring.
- 15 4. The composition according to Claim 2, wherein at least 95 mol% of the isocyanate groups of the blocked polyisocyanate are in blocked form.
- 20 5. The composition according to Claim 2, wherein the blocked polyisocyanate contains in total from 5 to 27% by weight of non-blocked and blocked isocyanate groups (calculated as NCO, molecular weight = 42).
- 25 6. The composition according to Claim 2, wherein the at least one compound according to one of the formulae I to III has a fraction of from 0.1 to 10% by weight, based on the amount of the blocked polyisocyanate.
7. The composition according to Claim 2, further comprising further auxiliaries or additives.
- 30 8. The composition according to Claim 7, wherein the fraction of further auxiliaries or additives in the composition is up to 5% by weight, based on the amount of the blocked polyisocyanate.

9. A coating material comprising the composition of Claim 2.
10. A coating obtained from the coating material of Claim 9.
- 5 11. A coated substrate obtained by coating a substrate with the coating material of Claim 9.